Papiamentu

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1 Language Information

• Source: (Kouwenberg and Murray, 1994)

• Glottlog: http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/papi1253

• ISO-identifier: pap

• Speakers:

• Location: Aruba, Bonaire, Curação

Geneology: Indo-European > Italic > Latino-Faliscan > Latinic > Imperal Latin
Romance > Italo-Western Romance > Western Romance > Shifted Western
Romance > Southwestern Shifted Romance > West Ibero-Romance > Galician
Romance > Macro-Portuguese > Upper Guinea Portuguese > Papiamento

2 Nominal Morphology

Plural is marked by the enclitic nan.

3 Verbal Morphology

Plural is marked by the enclitic *nan*.

4 Conjunction

No information given.

5 Disjunction

No information given.

6 Prepositions

In contrast to other Caribbean creole languages, Papiamentu has many prepositions. Here is a list with the most common ones:

- 1. di 'of'
- 2. banda di 'near'
- 3. despues di 'after'
- 4. dilanti di 'in front of'
- 5. tras di 'behind'
- 6. riba 'on'
- 7. den 'in(side)'
- 8. *ku* 'with'
- 9. *pa* 'for'
- 10. te 'until'

References

Kouwenberg, Silvia and Eric Murray (1994). Papiamentu. München: Lincom Europa.